









## THE HOME CIRCLE

Pleasant Reveries—A Column Dedicated to Tired Mothers as they join the Home Circle at Evening Tide.

### WAR TIME RECIPES

Prepared by Prof. Frances E. Freeman, Home Economics Director, United States Food Administration, Orono, Maine

#### QUICK BREADS

##### Cornmeal Muffins—No. 1

One cup cornmeal, 1/2 cup flour, 1/2 teaspoon soda, 1 teaspoon baking powder, 1/2 teaspoon salt, 1 egg beaten, 1 cup sour milk, 1 tablespoon syrup, 2 tablespoons melted fat. Mix the dry ingredients and add them to the milk and beaten egg. Add the fat last, and bake the muffins in greased tins in a moderate oven for 25 minutes.

##### Cornmeal Muffins—No. 2

One cup cornmeal, 1 teaspoon salt, 1 teaspoon baking powder, 1/2 teaspoon soda, 1 cup sour milk, 1 tablespoon syrup, 2 tablespoons melted fat. Mix the ingredients in the order in which they are given, sifting the dry ingredients together. Pour the mixture into greased tins and bake the muffins in a moderate oven.

##### Buckwheat Muffins

One cup buckwheat flour, 4 tablespoons cornstarch, 1 teaspoon salt, 2 teaspoons baking powder, 1/2 teaspoon soda, 1 cup sour milk, 1 tablespoon molasses, 2 tablespoons melted fat. Mix and sift the dry ingredients. Add the liquids, and pour the mixture into greased muffin tins. Bake it in a moderate oven.

##### Corn Bread

One cup cornmeal, 1 teaspoon baking powder, 1/2 teaspoon soda, 1 teaspoon salt, 1 cup sour milk, 1 egg, 2 tablespoons fat. Mix and sift the dry ingredients. Add the sour milk, the egg, and the fat. Bake the bread in a shallow pan for 25 minutes in a moderate oven.

##### Molasses Corn Cake

One cup cornmeal, 3/4 cup barley flour, 3 1/2 teaspoons baking powder, 1/4 cup molasses or syrup, 1 cup milk, 1 egg, 1 teaspoon salt, 1 tablespoon melted fat. Mix and sift the dry ingredients. Add the milk, the well-beaten egg, and the fat. Bake the cake in a shallow pan in a hot oven for 20 minutes.

One cup sour milk may be substituted for the sweet milk, in which case use 1/2 teaspoon soda and 1 1/2 teaspoons baking powder.

##### Crackling Bread

Two cups cornmeal, 1 cup cracklings, 2 1/2 teaspoons salt, boiling water. Combine the ingredients, adding sufficient boiling water to make a dough that can be shaped into small loaves; or spread the mixture 1 inch thick in a pan, and bake it in a moderate oven.

##### Cornmeal Pancakes

Two cups cornmeal, 2 cups buttermilk mixed with 3/4 teaspoon soda, 1 or 2 teaspoons melted fat, 2 teaspoons salt, 1/2 cup flour, 2 eggs (one or both eggs may be omitted). Mix the ingredients in the order in which they are given. Bake the pancakes on a hot greased griddle.

##### Rice Cakes

One cup cold boiled rice, 1/2 cup rice flour, 1 teaspoon baking powder, 1/2 teaspoon salt, 1/4 cup milk, 1 egg yolk, 1 tablespoon molasses. Mix the ingredients in the order in which they are given, and bake the cakes on a hot griddle.

##### Buckwheat Waffles

One and three-fourths cups buck-

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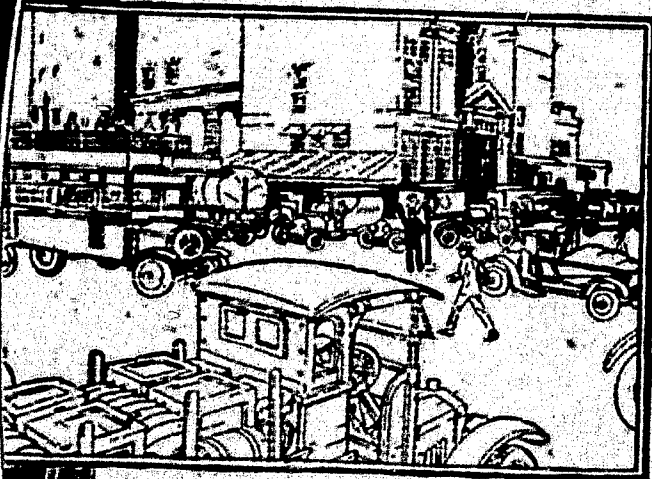
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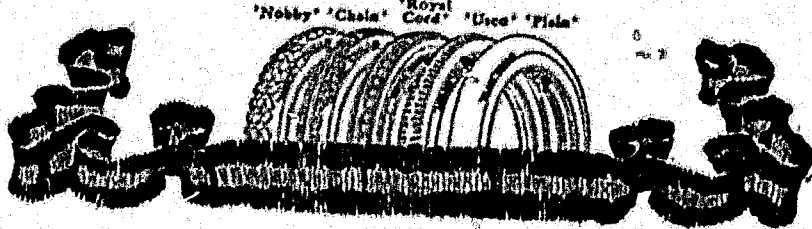
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### FIGHTING MITES

By G. E. Conkey

Just at this time the men and women who have been making money with their poultry when their neighbors were getting nothing but feed bills are making ready for the most unwelcome of all pests in the poultry yard—mites.

By dearly bought experience they know that the best time to fight mites is before they get started, for once started in a poultry house, it is almost impossible to get rid of these deadly parasites. Or at best you will have a long hard fight and lots of hard work ahead. Mites won't be much in evidence now, but they will be very soon if you don't start your preparations now. Mites are extremely small, spider-like parasites, so small that often they are overlooked, for to the uninitiated a swarm of mites looks much like a little reddish brown dust—found usually in a corner or in the cracks or crevices of the poultry house. Look closely, however, and you will see that the supposed dust has life. It is a countless swarm of mites waiting for their prey.

What a welcome they will give your birds when your fowls seek their roosts to enjoy a well-earned rest. The mites will then emerge from those corners, cracks and crevices and swarm over the roosts and over the bodies of your birds, biting or boring through the skin, sucking the blood, depriving your flock of their vitality. Small chance for you to get eggs or big fat market birds if your birds are supporting an army of mites.

Don't wait until your birds become thin in flesh, until the face and comb turn pale, until getting hens leave the nest frequently or forsake nests entirely as they grow sick and are forced to give up in self defense. Don't wait until your little chicks get droopy, show bowel trouble and die off. These are only a few of the symptoms of mites and their deadly work. Don't wait till you see them. Start now and exterminate mites.

When you start fighting mites be thorough. Remove all litter from or around the poultry house. Burn all the litter. Remove roosts, nest boxes and all apparatus attached to the walls so that you can clean the house thoroughly. Then spray with a good lice liquid.

## CANTON

Canton friends have received the sad news of the death of Theron Love, the eldest son of Mrs. Clinton C. Rowe of Biddeford. Mr. and Mrs. Rowe moved from Canton a year or more ago.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Goodwin, Ralph Butterfield and Dorothy and William Goodwin of Biddeford have been guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Spurgeon Butterfield.

Mrs. Alvin S. Morse has been entertaining her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. Berry, and her brother, Wilmer Berry, of Berry's Mills.

The members of the Universalist Sunday school enjoyed their annual supper at the vestry of the church, Saturday night.

A special meeting of Whitney Lodge, F. & A. M., was held Monday night for work.

A delightful gathering of former residents of Canton, now residing in Boston and vicinity were invited to the studio of Miss Mary N. Richardson, 30 Ipswich St., Wednesday, May 15, to see her portrait drawing of the late Mrs. Elbert Hayford, and to renew old acquaintances over a social cup of tea. Among the guests were: Mr. and Mrs. Payson Smith and Miss Beatrice Blanchard of Brookline, Mrs. Lizzie Ellis Parker of Beverly, Mrs. Celestia Farwell Humphrey of Dorchester, Mrs. Samuel Noyes and Mrs. Jane Bottinson of Cambridge, Mrs. Edgar N. Carver, Mrs. Charles H. Gilbert, Miss Imogene Burnham and Miss Jessie Hayford of Boston.

Raymond Bragg, a son of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Bragg of Hartford, attempted suicide Friday night by shooting himself, after attending a drama and dance at Canton. He was at the home of his brother, Frank Bragg, at the time, but has been taken to his home, and his chances for recovery are good at this writing.

The Canton High school held their third annual exhibition at the Canton Opera House, Tuesday evening, with a full house. The program opened with music by the high school orchestra, composed of Miss Madeline Hines, violin; Ansel Ellis, cornet, and Miss Ora Woodward, piano. Prayer was offered by Deacon John N. Tyler, followed by "Grandpa's Courtin'," by Miss Elva Woodward; "Prosecution—Haywood Trial," Clara Ludden; "The Prophecy," Miss Norma Heald; "Defense—Haywood Trial," Charles Hollis; "The Inventor's Wife," Miss Ruth M. Johnson. A beautiful and difficult dance, "The Amazon," was given by seven young ladies, namely: Miss Norma Heald, Miss Elva Woodward, Miss Iva Bryant, Miss Thelma Dickson, Miss Helen Dodge, Miss Frances Abbott and Miss Eva Reed. "Address to the Madison High School," was given by Ansel Ellis; "A Southern Court Scene," Miss Ruth Gammon; "A Noble Irishman's Vindication," Harold Bradford; "The Soldier's Song," Miss Mabel Hines; "Lest We Forget," Donald Adams. John Tripp acted as marshal. A good sum was realized from the affair.

Principal Donald Partridge, Miss Nellie Michels, Miss Frances Abbott, Miss Gertrude Berry, teachers in the Canton schools; Miss Wilma Davenport, teacher at Tyler Corner, Hartford, and Miss Ruth Johnson and Miss Mabel Hines attended the Teachers' Convention at Norway, Friday.

A. E. Russell, Jr., has purchased the house known as the Packard place on Lake street and moved in.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Martin are receiving congratulations on the birth of a son, Saturday, May 18th.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph McCallum have been visiting relatives in Auburn. News has been received of the illness of Mrs. Arthur H. Briggs of Auburn.

Robert Poor and Guy Andrews have been called to the colors and will soon leave town. Mr. Sarah Tasker has returned to her summer home in Gilbertville. Mr. and Mrs. Wm. A. Reynolds have been visiting in Hallowell. Mrs. Reynolds' mother came home with them for a visit.

The annual district meeting of Rebekahs will be held with Charity Lodge, Livermore Falls, on June 12th. Friends in town have received a letter from Frank Chadbourne, who is "somewhere in France," saying that he was well, but working hard. He is employed on the railroad. Hermann Terrell is able to be out. Mrs. Flora York of Norway has been a guest of her sister, Mrs. Herbert E. Hall, and family, and other relatives and friends in town.

The married and single men played a game of ball Saturday afternoon, the single men winning. Wm. L. Roberts and family are soon to move to Bethel. An entertainment and dance will be held at Hartford Center, Thursday evening for the Red Cross drive. Eleanor and Arthur Westgate will furnish music.

Mrs. O. M. Richardson pleasantly entertained the Pine Tree Club, Saturday afternoon. Refreshments were served. The next meeting will be held with Mrs. Edith S. Ellis. Mr. and Mrs. Rollo Hines have been visiting in Lewiston. Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Westgate were in the "twin cities," Saturday. People from Buckfield presented a drama at the Opera House, Friday evening, and a dance followed. Donald Etheridge has returned to his home in Auburn. Miss Jessie Reed has gone to Auburn to work in the family of Dr. Barrell, where she was formerly employed. Miss Lida Allen has been a guest of Miss Mary E. Coburn. C. R. Sweet and Columbus Hall have gone up country, where they will be employed, painting.

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Mr. J. O. Swan of Locke's Mills spent a few days of last week in this vicinity.

W. A. Holt was at Rumford last week, he being one of the jurors for the Supreme Judicial Court.

William J. Madakin returned from Camp Devens, Mass., being unit for service.

Mr. Edward B. Ray of Woodville, Mass., is spending a few days in town. M. H. Lydon of Portland arrived in town, Saturday.

The auction of Mrs. Michael Deegan which was held May 18th, was very well attended.

Mr. and Mrs. Cole of Bethel were in town, Sunday.

### NORTH BETHEL

Charles Sargent of Lewiston was at the Locke farm recently to superintend the planting of a garden. He, with his family, will spend part of the summer there.

Ron Swan and Edwin York have been plowing with their heavy teams for the Misses Eyles and Florence Twichell in Mayville.

People are busy preparing the land, but very little planting has been done so far.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Spiny display a service flag with two stars for their sons, William and Harold, who are in the Navy, and are glad to do their "bit" for these men.

We saw Tucker York driving a new shopping cart, recently.

Mrs. A. E. C. Gray of Norway was a recent visitor of her sister, Mrs. Emily Brown, Bethel.

### WEST GREENWOOD

Mrs. Eva Kennagh and two children have been spending several days with her sister, Mrs. Noyes, at South Paris. Mr. Joseph Deegan from Massachusetts is spending a few days with his mother, Mrs. Michael Deegan.

Patricia Leighton of Hunt's Corner was a Sunday caller to town at the home of Mr. Deegan.

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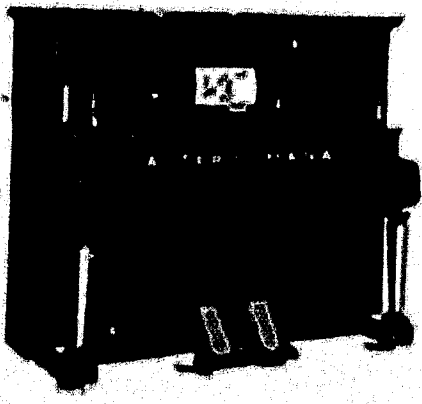
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Application of Coal Consumer for Annual Requirements

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City..... Date.....

Kind of Building.....

Number of Rooms.....

Kind of Heating Plant.....

Size of Coal desired.....

Have you any unfilled orders with other dealers? If so, amount.....

Quantity desired for immediate delivery.....

Quantity received during year ending March 31, 1918.....

Quantity on hand March 31, 1918.....

Quantity desired for year ending March 31, 1919.....

If you desire more than the amount consumed last year, state reasons.....

I hereby certify that the above statements are true to the best of my knowledge and belief

Name.....

Address.....

Any person who willfully makes a false statement upon this application is subject to prosecution under the Lever Act which imposes a penalty of \$5,000 fine or two years imprisonment or both.

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Mr. Fred Tibbitts was in Portland, Sunday.

Mrs. Yeager was a business visitor in Portland, Tuesday.

Miss Helen Staples of Hanover is the guest of Mrs. Abbie Bean.

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## RUMFORD

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A large coal shed is being constructed at the High school building, the money for the same having been appropriated at the annual town meeting.

Mrs. Ralph T. Parker is in Boston, caring for her mother, who is critically ill.

Thomas Gaudin is at Dr. Cobb's Hospital in Auburn for treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. George E. Gates of Penobscot street have opened their summer home at Worthy Pond. They are intending to spend each week end there during the summer months.

George Dumney has finished work in the International Mill and returned to his home in Mexico.

Mrs. Lawrence Clifford is visiting relatives in town.

Percy Davis of the Virginia District has taken examinations for entry into the U. S. Navy.

Mrs. Percy Wagner of Alberta, Canada, is visiting friends and relatives in town.

Mrs. W. E. Hall of Livermore is visiting friends in town.

Miss Florence Cornell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Cornell, of Washington street, and a student at Bates College, is in Portland being treated for a nervous breakdown.

Dr. Fred E. Wheel, who some time ago received the appointment as captain in the Medical Reserve Corps, has received his orders to report at Camp Devens, for service within the week.

Erma Freeman has gone to Rangely, Me., where she has accepted a position as stenographer and bookkeeper for the coming summer season at Rangely Lake House.

Chief of Police Dennis has made traffic marks on the sidewalks on Congress street. No team or automobile can be left inside the marks.

The four minute speakers at the Opera House this week are Hon. A. E. Stearns and L. E. Williams.

Jack Kersey assumed his duties as advertising manager for the Everett K. Day Company this week to succeed Howard Leader, who will enlist in some branch of the service. Mr. Kersey has for the past two years been manager of the Direct Importing Co. store.

About 800 of the Oxford mill employees have formed an association under the title of the "Oxford Army and Navy Men's Aid," and have pledged themselves to pay not less than 6 cents each per week, to be used for the benefit of their fellow workmen enlisted in the U. S. Army and Navy, and who are either fighting in the cause of freedom, or are in course of preparation for doing so. Already it has been possible to send a substantial token of goodwill to every enlisted man who has been employed at the Oxford.

The sixteen month old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Papasodora, who live in one of the Pettongill cottages on Holyoke avenue, is dead as the result of playing with matches, when her dress became ignited and burned her so severely that she died from the seriousness of the burns.

The students of the Stephens High school are busy on the big production of "Over the Top," to be presented by them and 75 children from the grades, at the Majestic Theatre on Thursday and Friday evenings of this week. The first performance will be given for the benefit of the Red Cross, and the second for the Stephens High school Athletic Association. Miss Eva Seates is in town drilling the children for the production, and during her stay is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Leon Faine of Franklin street.

The May term of the Supreme Judicial Court for Oxford County which has been convened in Rumford since May 14th, with Justice Hon. George E. Bird of Portland presiding, tried all cases of the criminal class last week, and this week are trying civil cases. Some 20 men were naturalized last week, and many divorce cases were heard. Among other cases was that of Mrs. Lottie Wheeler of North Buckfield who was arraigned on an indictment charging forgery of a check on the Norway National Bank, amounting to \$23. She was convicted. Emil Velleux was charged with keeping a house of ill fame and accepting money from women earned by prostitution. The jury returned a verdict of guilty. Peter LeClair, accused of the same charge, was acquitted. Charles Morse of Norway, during the absence of Miss Susan Jew-

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charged with bigamy, pleaded guilty and was allowed to go under bonds, the case being continued until the October term of court. An intoxication case against Frederick Beede was not pressed on request of County Attorney Dyer.

In the case of illegal transportation against Joe Martell and Clarence Crawford, County Attorney Dyer asked for not pro in the case of Martell, who is with Co. B in France, as to Crawford, he asked for trial. Attorney Hutchins said that as Martell was the principal in the action, Crawford could not be given a fair trial without the presence of Martell. This was also the plea in the case of State vs. James V. Carey and Jos. Martell. On trial list of this week are: Bernard Andrews vs. Jacob M. Laiden; Hattie E. Delano Glover vs. Bernard Andrews; John Thomas, Admr. vs. Nellie R. Taylor; Walter S. Jones vs. Herman E. Billings; Carl G. Dudley vs. Herman E. Billings; Bernard Andrews, Pet. vs. A. G. Rich; Orlando Irish vs. Leon O. Irish, et al.; Marie Demmons vs. Annie Johnson; Arthur and Emile Gauthier vs. Oxford Lumber Co.; Lovell P. Oldham vs. Oxford Lumber Co.; Emerson Oldham vs. Oxford Lumber Co.; Herne C. Coombs vs. Oxford Lumber Co.; Llewellyn H. Poland vs. Oxford Lumber Co.; Carl M. Heald vs. E. E. Walker.

Follows is the list of the young men from Rumford who are called in the draft of May 28th, going to Camp Devens on the 29th: Charles Babington, Carroll Cash, Paul Yost, Antonio Muniz, F. W. Therman, Tony Boydonas, Dona Brouillette, Angus McKay, Antonio Chidoni, Edward Rainey, Clyde W. Abbott, Francis Doucette, Val Cerial, Peter McLeod, Alex Sabolsky, Wesley H. Leckey, Will Garneau, Fred Gamache, Francis Tibbets, Romeo DeFlori, Albion Richard, Domique Gerri, Salvatore Zlechich, William E. Robichand, Tim W. Gaudin, Charles F. Dawes, Arthur T. Abbott, Vin Blaisot, Philip Davidson, David Berriault, Orlan Thomas Peterson, Ernest Valles, Aurelio Dantonis, Ed. Babinet, Jerome Doucette, Antoine E. Perrault, Austin Bucker, Alyre LeBlanc, John Liddle, James Lynch, Russell Laman, David A. Glines, Felix Goddard, Carl M. Andrews, Percy L. Davis, Placide Richard, Vito Parize, George Lavasson, Arthur Martin, Levi White, Adelbert Thomas, Ralph H. Eastman, Bruno Samaroo, Adelbert Frederick.

Miss Lena Felt attended the 15th annual convention of the Grand Temple of the Pythian Sisterhood at Lewiston last week. She also visited her mother at Bryant's Pond.

Percy L. Berry, son of Mr. and Mrs. Orrington Berry, has returned home from the University of Maine, where he has just completed his freshman year.

The family of Mr. Brooks of Clachan Place are planning to remove soon to Westbrook to live.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Smith and son, Russell, have gone to Portland for a time.

Mrs. E. A. Shesley is seriously ill with neuritis in her head, following an illness from grip.

Miss Edna G. Lord is acting as librarian at the Rumford public library during the absence of Miss Susan Jew-

## WEST PARIS

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Doe and Mrs. Sherman of Waltham, Mass., have been recent guests at James P. Curtis', making the trip by auto. Mrs. Curtis is their aunt.

The drama, "Uncle Rube," presented at Grange Hall, Wednesday and Thursday evening for the benefit of the Red Cross, was a great success. Each actor was so well adapted to the part taken that it would be almost difficult to say who did best. There was a crowded house Wednesday evening and the High school orchestra furnished music. Thursday evening there was an equally large attendance. A dance followed the play with music by Stowell Moore. Ice cream was on sale. Ninety dollars was cleared above all expenses.

Mother's Sunday was observed at the Universalist church with appropriate sermon by Rev. H. A. Markley. The church was prettily decorated with carnations and other flowers.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin J. Mann went by auto to Orono, Friday to attend commencement at Mr. Mann graduated from the college. Mrs. Horatio R. Tull and Master Lewis J. Mann accompanied them to Readfield, an visited relatives at Ernest A. Morgan's. They returned Tuesday.

Mrs. Carroll A. Bacon has returned from Portland and is somewhat improved in health.

Mrs. Harrington S. Mann was a guest of friends in town a few days last week. She went to Norway, Thursday, where she will be employed at H. D. Smith's.

D. H. Elfield has purchased a new Dodge car and converted his Ford into a delivery truck.

Lieut. E. E. Wheeler, who went to Fort Oglethorpe, Ga., in December and after two months' training received an appointment as medical officer at the Infantry R. O. T. C., has been ordered to foreign service and expects to go across soon. The doctor is somewhat older than many of the physicians that they are sending across and the appointment came as an acknowledgement of ability and a faithful service.

## WEST BETHEL

Last Thursday afternoon at about two o'clock word came to the village that the house on the Flat road belonging to L. E. Edwards and occupied by George Rolfe was on fire. There was such a hard wind blowing at the time that nothing could be saved.

The Red Cross will meet with Mrs. L. E. Allen, Wednesday afternoon. The Step-Lively Club will have a dance at the Grange Hall, Saturday evening, for the benefit of the home boys, who are in the service.

Mrs. Elsie Coffin, who has been spending some time in Portland, returned to her home Saturday, Mrs. J. W. Gribbin accompanying her.

Mr. T. W. Vashaw, Frank Vashaw and Guy Crouse have gone to the lakes to drive river.

Mr. W. J. Douglas, Mrs. Emma Bartlett, Mrs. Elsie Hall and Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Hutchinson took an auto trip up to the Glen, N. H., Sunday.

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ett, who is on a visit with relatives and friends.

The death of Mrs. Vital Forland of Falmouth street occurred last week following a long illness. She was 30 years of age, and leaves a husband, four sons and two daughters, the oldest child being 15 years old.

Mr. and Mrs. Adam Young, who returned to Rumford, recently, from Kennebago, have taken a rent in Mexico in the Kildar house.

Cecil Graves of Boston, who has visited his mother, Mrs. Elsie H. Graves, recently at their home on Main avenue, has enlisted in a Massachusetts recruiting station, and expects soon to be called into service. Emile Gauthier of this town, son of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Gauthier, has enlisted, and is awaiting his orders.

The East Ellis Dramatic Club presented the three act drama, "Country Folks," at Rumford Center on Monday evening of this week for the benefit of the Red Cross.

It is expected that Leslie Ferguson, who will return home early in June from Norwich, Vt., where he has spent the year at a military school, will take up the work with the local Boy Scout Patrol, which was given up by R. R. Coolbrith upon his recent transfer to the Kennebec office of the American Express.

Mr. Coolbrith was assistant Scout leader to Rev. R. F. Lowe, and has made many pleasing innovations in the Scout management here before leaving for his new position. It is interesting to know that between Apr. 30 and 30, the local Scouts lost \$7,000 of Liberty Bonds of the third issue.

Friends of Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Russell, who moved from Rumford recently to Hartford, to conduct a farm for the summer, will be interested to know that they have given up this project, having gone to Houlton for the season, where Mr. Russell has been given a most desirable position by the American Realty Company.

## ANDOVER

Verna Campbell, who was operated on for appendicitis at the McCarty Hospital, recently, returned home, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Irving Hanson and daughter of Rumford were guests of Y. A. Thurston and wife, Saturday and Sunday.

Effie and Florence Akers, who are teaching school in Rumford, attended the Teachers' Convention at Norway, Friday of last week.

George Thomas has gone to the Upper Dam of the Lakes, where he has work as guide.

George and Robert Dunn were guests of their aunt, Mrs. Roger Thurston, a few days last week.

Ivan Campbell is repairing one of the houses on the Emerson farm and will soon move there.

Mrs. Lizzie Holley and children were guests in the home of Frank Learned, Saturday.

Supr. Rawson from the Mexico schools was in town visiting schools, recently.

Wallace Howe was in Rumford, visiting friends, Sunday.

David Glines of North Rumford is very poorly.

Mrs. Ellery Merrill and two daughters from East Rumford have been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lucien Akers, this week.

George Learned attended the K. of P. Convention at Lewiston, Wednesday and Thursday of last week.

The Pythian Sisters held a whist party and dance in the town hall, Saturday evening, which was well attended.

Wirt Virgin from Rumford was in town, Tuesday.

Miss Elizabeth Hall, who fell in her room at Joel Morton's where she was visiting last week and injured herself badly, is in a critical condition.

A. J. Colebrook, who died Wednesday, May 15, at the home of his daughter, Mrs. G. G. Dolloff, Rumford Center, of pneumonia, was a former resident of Andover. His wife, who survives him, was Mary Bailey, daughter of Josiah Bailey of this town. He also leaves several children. The funeral was held Friday and the body was brought to Andover for burial.

The Ladies' Aid will meet Wednesday P. M. with Mrs. Atwood.

James Elliott has purchased the David Richard farm at South Andover, and will move there in the fall.

Bert Hanson and wife have moved to Rumford, where he has work sealing lumber.

Mrs. Cole from Lynn is visiting her son, Dr. Cole, and wife.

Mrs. Nora Archibald and brother, Wm. Denison, from Lynn, Mass., are staying at their farm a few weeks at North Andover.

The Red Cross drive began Monday in Andover with the Boy Scouts and Camp Fire Girls soliciting at each house for the second fund. New England's quota is \$7,000,000.

The Boy Scouts of this town with Mr. Atwood and P. D. McAllister, attended the Scout Rally at Norway last Saturday.

Miss Alice Andrews, Clarence Brown, the high school principal, Mrs. Elmer Osahman, Mrs. Alice Thurston, Frida Gordon, Irene Abbott and Mr. and Mrs. Sylvanus Poor attended the Oxford County Teachers' Convention at Norway, Friday of last week.

Alexander Jackson and wife from Boston have arrived in town and will spend the summer here.

News has been received in Andover of the sudden death of Miss Emma Talbot, daughter of William and Martha Poor Talbot of this town, at the age of 77 years. Miss Talbot was a worthy member of the Congregational church in Andover. She spent several years in Massachusetts and later went to Kansas to care for an aged lady. She retired at night and passed away without waking. She is survived by several brothers, two sisters, John F. Talbot of this town being one of her brothers.

## EAST BETHEL

Mrs. Helen Bean is in charge of the Red Cross drive in this place.

Miss Edna Bartlett and Miss Ethel Cole attended the Oxford County Teachers' Convention held at Norway, May 17th.

Mr. Guy Bartlett attended the Grand Lodge of Knights of Pythias held at Lewiston, as a delegate.

Mr. and Mrs. Payson Rich, also Mr. and Mrs. Elliott Rich of Bethel were over Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Hall.

Miss Phyllis Cobb of Rumford was last week's guest of Mr. and Mrs. Freeman Bean.

Mr. L. J. Trask and family from North Paris were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Trask.

Mr. D. A. Merrill of Rumford Point is doing farm work for Mr. Chas. Marshall.

Mr. and Mrs. G. N. Sanborn and daughters of Bethel were week end guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Kimball.

Mrs. Lucretia Bean has returned to Norway to do dressmaking.

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## PROBATE NOTICES

To all persons interested in either of the Estates hereinafter named:

At a Probate Court, held at Rumford, in and for the County of Oxford, on the second Tuesday of May, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and eighteen. The following matter having been presented for the action thereupon hereinafter indicated, it is hereby ORDERED:

That notice thereof be given to all persons interested, by causing a copy of this order to be published three weeks successively in the Oxford County Citizen newspaper published at Bethel, in said County, that they may appear at a Probate Court to be held at Paris on the third Tuesday of June, A. D. 1918, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon, and be heard thereon if they see cause.

Oscar E. Whitney late of Mexico, deceased, will and petition for probate thereof and the appointment of Benjamin B. Swett as executor of the same without bond as executed in the will, presented by Benjamin B. Swett, the executor therein named.

Charlotte Legere late of Mexico, deceased, will and petition for probate thereof and the appointment of Elise Dugan as executrix of the same without bond as expressed in said will, presented by Elise Dugan, the executrix therein named.

ADDISON E. HERRICK,  
Judge of said Court.

A true copy—attest:  
ALBERT D. PARK, Register.

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**BUCKFIELD**  
John X. Wood, one of the best known farmers of Buckfield died at his home Monday afternoon after a short illness. Mr. Wood was seventy-six years old, a veteran of the Civil War and a member of Wilson Post, G. A. R., North Yarmouth and of Neelastock Lodge of Old Yarmouth. He is survived by one daughter, Mrs. Lester Wilham with whom he lived.

The body of Elsie Howard was brought from Boston Monday and taken to his home in Hartford where the funeral was held Tuesday afternoon. Rev. W. M. Davis officiating. Mr. Howard was a son of the late Edwin Howard and has been in Massachusetts for the past eighteen years and has been in ill health for a year. He was unmarried and forty-eight years of age.

Evening Star Lodge of Masons conferred the Master, Mason's degree on one candidate at the regular meeting held Monday night.

Sunday May 24 will be observed as Memorial Sunday at the Bethel church. There will be special services and the G. A. R. and S. O. S. will be present.

THE OXFORD COUNTY CITIZEN</



## POEMS WORTH READING

**SON O' MINE**  
You have gone to fight the foe,  
Son o' mine,  
If you'll return there's none can know,  
Son o' mine,  
But I know that you'll prove true,  
To the red, the white, and the blue,  
That means as much to you  
Son o' mine.

Oh the battle we will win,  
Son o' mine,  
To doubt would be a sin,  
Son o' mine,  
For in God we put our trust,  
Only fight when fight we must,  
For freedom not for lust,  
Son o' mine.

While you're fighting "over there,"  
Son o' mine,  
Mother here will do her share,  
Son o' mine,  
To fight the merciless Hun,  
I have given you my son,  
You'll return when victory's won,  
Son o' mine.

Should you fall amidst the fray,  
Son o' mine,  
Then to God for strength I pray,  
Son o' mine,  
But since you have atoned the test,  
In you I have been blessed,  
And to God I leave the rest,  
Oh son o' mine.

May, 1918. Bertha M. Mundt.

**A DREAM OF PEACE**  
E. D. Shelton  
Some soldiers lay a sleeping  
Upon the ground so bare,  
When Mercy came a weeping,  
An angel light and fair,  
And such heartrending cries,  
They all her soul with sorrow  
While tears well down her eyes.

Their guns are stacked a-slanting  
Like ladies' toilet cases,  
Their fire so softly crackling,  
A melting down to rain,  
Their comrades, guard is keeping  
A watch upon the foe,  
He dares not yield to sleeping  
While marching to and fro.

Then Mercy goes so softly  
Upon the battle plain  
A weeping out the wounded,  
That lie among the slain,  
Now here is one a bleeding,  
She stoops to bind his wound  
And hears his piteous pleadings  
For death to take him soon.

And there's another groaning,  
Who comes to see  
Who makes that painful moaning,  
He struggles to get free,  
For once him have fallen  
Several comrades dead,  
And here he lies so helpless,  
Can only raise his head.

She lifted off the others,  
These grim and heavy men,  
And then she helps a brother  
Escape from death again,  
And many other helpless  
Attended she that night,  
O'er all the fields of battle,  
Sweet Mercy showed her might.

She now returns to sleepers,  
So happy in their dreams,  
Soon one o' them a smiling,  
In perfect bliss it seems,  
She looks into his vision,  
As death his joy increases,  
And let an Angel Sister  
When mortals worship—Peace.

**HE'LL NEVER LOSE**  
"The allies will win or lose the war  
In 1918."—An American recently re-  
turned from France.

In all the years our flag has flown  
And Yankee drums have beat,  
You think that has never known  
An ultimate defeat;  
He always felt that he was right,  
And so, through blows fell fast,  
He never, never quit a fight—  
And now there's all at last.

Ye nation has the strength and wealth  
That hosts have enjoyed;  
O'ercome the war, the host of health,  
His sturdy, gallant boys,  
He'll for victory his greatest foe  
In food and men and arms  
And each day a stronger blow—  
No staff all will alarm.

Five years from now, if there be need,  
He'll stand there fighting still,  
Olim-faced and pale; but strong in deed  
And stronger yet in will.  
He might not win the war this year  
(Though that would be bad news);  
But you can bet, without a fear,  
That he will NEVER lose!

—XX—  
**THE LANGUAGE OF OUR FLAG**

By Will Carlton  
O stars of our flag, one by one you  
arise,  
Till the sky in our banner was blaz-  
ing with splendor!  
Each ray from their depths is a night to  
our foes,  
And a sunburst of joy to the gallant  
defender.  
Not only their worth cheers the land of  
your birth,  
But flags its clear light to the ends  
of the earth.  
And the nation shall never from victory  
rest,  
'Till the world is as free as the Land  
of the West!

O stripes of the flag! you are emblems  
Aglow,  
That tell on the hearts of the found-  
ers we cherish;  
'Gainst the crown of the storm and the  
gusts of the foe  
They fought that the land of their  
love should not perish.  
The stripes that gleam red are the  
blood that was shed,  
And the white ones between are  
from shrines of our dead!  
And farther and farther this emblem  
shall wave,  
'Till the world has forgot that there  
e'er was a slave!

O staff of our flag! you are sturdy and  
strong,  
Like the people whose hands and  
whose hearts must uphold you!  
You cling to the colors, through tem-  
pests of wrong,  
On when "old the zephyrs of peace  
they unfold you,  
On many a field you have scorned e'er  
to yield,  
For the hearts of the brave were your  
sword and your shield;  
And you promise for ages to stay in  
your might,  
'Till the world gathers round you—  
firm standard of right.

—XX—  
**DISQUALIFIED**

Oh, I was some feller in the days be-  
fore the war  
Listen to my tale of woe  
Kinder light completed with a good  
square jaw  
Listen to my tale of woe  
Get as nice a feller as you ever see  
Stood in my stockin' feet six feet  
three  
Gals hung around me then an' wouldn't  
let me go  
Listen to my tale of woe.

But now them gals is sickle and fer  
some other feller falls  
Listen to my tale of woe  
Because they're dressed in uniforms  
and me in overalls  
Listen to my tale of woe.  
Kicker git a dose er bombs, plain gas  
er shot  
Than a wailin' here ter hum on the  
thirty-acre lot  
Fer when a gal o' fat feet is all a fel-  
lers got  
Ain't it just a tale of woe?

Well, the war broke out so I up and was  
ter paw  
Listen to my tale of woe  
For I was ter war  
Listen to my tale of woe  
So I went to headquarters fer to get a  
army coat  
A feller's piece and blanket and a pec-  
ker horn to boot  
"But you can't see the army," says a  
meddlin' gal  
Listen to my tale of woe.

"No," says the doctor a squallin' up  
his eyes  
Listen to my tale of woe  
"Hoo, young feller, guess we can't let  
ye go."  
Listen to my tale of woe.  
"You can't see the army I am serv-  
in fer say  
You can't become a soldier boy fer both  
yer feet is spay  
So get yourself some knittin' work and  
mosey home and stay."  
Ouch—Listen to my tale of woe.

Mr. Wm. W. Hooty, 1215 North  
St. Louis, Mo., writes:  
"I have been troubled with stomach  
troubles since childhood, but after  
taking the best of health, I also  
had taken in the head, which prob-  
ably has disappeared, thanks to  
the Peruna Co. for their good work."

These who object to food medi-  
cines can prevent Peruna Tablets.

**Stomach Troubles**  
**Since Childhood**  
**PERUNA Made Me Well**

**I Now**  
**Enjoy**  
**The Best**  
**of**  
**Health**

## Guard Children Against Worms

Pinworms and stomach worms are  
some of the most dreaded diseases of  
children.

Signs of worms are: De-  
ranged stomach, swollen  
upper lip, sour stomach,  
offensive breath, hard and  
full belly with occasional  
grittings and pains about  
the navel, pale face of  
the child, leaden tint, eyes heavy  
and dull, twitching eyelids, itching of  
the nose, itching of the rectum, short  
dry cough, grinding of the teeth, little  
red points sticking out on tongue,  
starting during sleep, slow fever.

Dr. True's Elixir, the Family Laxa-  
tive and Worm Expeller, will surely  
and quickly expel worms, correct up-  
set stomach and constipation. Adults  
are also benefited, and write us letters  
like this: "Dr. True's Elixir has done  
me a world of good. John Glass, Hous-  
ton, Texas." At all  
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**THE SWEET LITTLE MAN**  
By Oliver Wendell Holmes  
All the brave boys under canvas are  
asleep,  
All of them pressing to march with  
the van,  
Far from home where their sweethearts  
are weeping;  
What are you waiting for, sweet little  
man?

Bring him the buttonless garments of  
women!  
Cover his face lest it freckle and  
tan;  
Master the Apron-string Guards on the  
Common,  
That is the corps for the sweet little  
man!

Give him for escort a file of young  
misses,  
Each of them armed with a deadly  
rattan;  
They shall defend him from laughter  
and hisses,  
Alarmed by the low boys at the sweet  
little man.

All the fair maidens about him shall  
cluster,  
Pluck the white feathers from bon-  
net and tuck,  
Make him a plume, like a turkey-wing  
duster—  
That is the crest for the sweet little  
man!

O but the Apron-string Guards are the  
fellow!  
Drilling each day since our troubles  
began,  
"Handle your walking sticks!"  
"Shoulder umbrellas!"  
That is the style for the sweet little  
man.

Have we a nation to save! In the first  
place  
Saying ourselves is the sensible plan—  
Surely the spot where there's shoot-  
ing's the worst place  
When I can stand, says the sweet  
little man.

Now then, also cheer for the Boy at  
home Hanger!  
Blow the great fish horn and beat  
the big gong!  
First in the field that is farthest from  
danger,  
Take your white-feather plume, sweet  
little man!

**LOUKE'S MILLS**  
Mrs. W. B. Hand was called to Han-  
over, Monday, by the death of her  
mother, Mrs. Howe.

Mollie Stanley was a week end guest  
of her parents, at Middle Intervale.  
Mrs. Calvin Sanborn of Middle In-  
tervale visited last week at Earl Par-  
rington's.

Tracy Pierce visited at his home in  
South Paris, Sunday.  
Mrs. Lydia Varney of North Buck-  
field is a guest of her daughter, Mrs.  
W. H. Crockett.

Mrs. W. R. Swift visited Saturday  
with her sister, Mrs. Carol Brewster,  
at Lewiston.  
Chester Cummings and Elias Keen-  
ton leave May 25 for Camp Devens.  
Mrs. Mary Bartlett was in Han-  
over, Thursday, to attend the funeral of  
Mrs. Clara Howe.

Miss Alice Arnold and Mollie Stan-  
ley attended Teachers' Convention at  
Norway, Friday.  
Arthur Stowell, Scoutmaster, with  
eight Scouts attended the Scout rally  
at South Paris, Saturday.  
**WEST PERU**  
O. J. Chase, wife and daughter, of  
Beth were week end guests of Mrs.  
Chase's parents.  
Harry Lurvey, who has been ill a  
long time, is now reported as gain-  
ing. C. R. Knox is also improving.  
Mrs. H. E. Balfour and Mrs. Mary  
Hopkins of Housatonic visited Mrs.  
E. Tracy last week a few days about  
her home clearing.  
Street Address and C. J. Tracy are  
exchanging work.  
Rufus Carson is at work for Herman  
Palmer.  
James O'Brien, Geo. Cattie, Al. Han-  
mond and Marcella Tracy of North Paris  
were up this way Friday, recently.  
Gerald Tracy, who works in the ap-  
pell at Dixfield, has one-fourth acre of  
potatoes planted on his father's farm  
at Dixfield.

## SOUTH PARIS

Rev. D. P. Faulkner of the Deering  
Memorial church has been engaged to  
deliver the Memorial Day address in  
Savoy Theatre.

The local Public Safety committee  
has been asked by the business men of  
South Paris to secure from 100 to 150  
men to assist the farmers to plant, hoe  
and harvest. The committee in charge  
consists of Parley F. Ripley, Leslie L.  
Mason, Harry Morton, Franklin Gold-  
smith, Charles N. Bowker and Nelson  
G. Elder.

Mrs. Martha Evans of Pleasant  
street is entertaining her sister, Mrs.  
Carrie Lane, of Upton and son, Fred  
Evans, of Errol, N. H.

The Service League has had the din-  
ing room of the Paris Grange hall of-  
fered them to work in during the sum-  
mer. They will move some time during  
the coming week. The ladies appre-  
ciate this offer.

Mrs. Rose Witham was with her peo-  
ple, W. O. Clark and family of Mecha-  
nic Falls, Wednesday, returning Thursday  
morning.

Mrs. Walter Dennison and Mrs. Al-  
bert Ames were in Lewiston, Thursday,  
returning at night.  
Mr. and Mrs. Alphonse Andrews of No.  
Paris were guests of Mr. Andrews' sister,  
Mrs. Lucy Edwards, Wednesday.

Asa Wing and family moved Wednes-  
day from the rent in the Herrick house  
on Pleasant street into one of William  
Russell's one tenement houses on West-  
ern avenue.

Mrs. Mary (Green) Hutchison of  
Livermore Falls is a guest of her cousin,  
Mrs. Elmer Briggs, for a few days.

A large delegation from Paris went  
to Turner, Wednesday afternoon, to  
witness the game between South Paris  
High and Lowell Institute.

Paris jail has broken its record. Wed-  
nesday and Thursday there was but one  
occupant.

Mr. Albert Abbott is suffering from a  
sprained ankle.  
Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Record are mov-  
ing to Bridgewater, Mass., where Mr.  
Record is now located as supervisor of  
schools. Mr. and Mrs. Record are both  
well known here, as Mr. Record is a  
former principal of Paris High school  
and Mrs. Record was Miss Mabel Crockett  
of this place before her marriage.

Miss Pauline Fisher, who teaches at  
Lisbon Falls, was a recent guest of Miss  
Ruth Remick at the home of Mrs. Bir-  
die Haines.

George R. Morton has gone to New  
York to meet his mother and sister,  
Mrs. Lucille Morton and Miss Julia  
Morton, on their return from Southern  
Pines, N. C., where they spent the win-  
ter.

Plummer Lovering, who suffered a  
paralytic stroke a few days ago, is now  
much improved.  
Mrs. Will Jackson and Mrs. Marian  
Kerr went to Lewiston, Wednesday, to  
see Mrs. Jackson's son, Howard, at the  
C. M. O. Hospital.

Mrs. Oscar Barrows went to Portland  
Wednesday morning where she will visit  
Miss Helen King. From there she  
will go to Palmyra Foreville to visit  
Mrs. Fannie Dellow.

Mr. and Mrs. Bertha and two  
children, who have lived on Myrtle  
street during the winter, left here Wed-  
nesday morning for Portland, where  
they will make their home. Mr. Ber-  
tha has employment there in an  
iron foundry.

Mrs. Bert Hammond of Paris went  
to the C. M. O. Hospital, Lewiston,  
Wednesday morning for treatment. Her  
daughter, Mrs. Ernest Shaw, accompa-  
nied her and will visit at Mrs. Fred  
Jackson's for a couple of days.

Mrs. Cora Wheeler underwent a very  
critical operation at the C. M. O. Hos-  
pital, Lewiston, Tuesday. The opera-  
tion was successful.

Mrs. Leona Wheaton left here Wed-  
nesday morning for Waterville, after  
spending a few days with her relatives,  
Mrs. J. H. Stewart and Mrs. Fred  
Brown.

Miss Grace Dean and Allie Cote went  
to Vermont, Tuesday, for a stay of  
about ten days with Mr. Cote's sister,  
Mrs. Albert D. Park is visiting her  
twice sister, Mrs. Ella Heald, of Sum-  
ner.

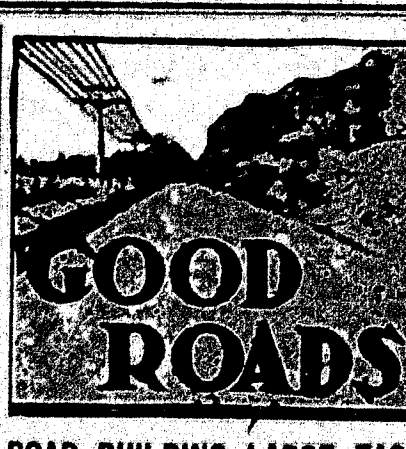
Miss Annie Parrie of Paris was a  
guest of Mrs. Helen Briggs, Wednesday.  
Mrs. John Stanley has gone from her  
daughter's, Mrs. Charles W. Hewker's,  
to South Portland to spend a number  
of weeks with her son, Newton Stan-  
ley, and family.

L. L. Mason and E. H. Mosier of the  
Mason Manufacturing Co. are in Bos-  
ton and vicinity on a several days' business trip.

Mrs. Matilda Richardson has returned  
from Kittery, N. H., where she spent the  
winter with her daughter, Mrs. Ger-  
trude Pomeroy. She is now living with  
her son, Mark Richardson, and family.  
Her daughter, Mrs. Harry Morton, and  
husband met her in Portland with an  
auto. Mrs. Richardson is much im-  
proved in health.

Mrs. Hattie Davis recently had a very  
pleasing surprise when some of her  
friends from the Mason Manufacturing  
Co. brought her a Maybasket containing  
many presents.

Mrs. Mary Hutchinson of Livermore  
Falls was a guest of Miss Caroline  
Gray, Sunday.

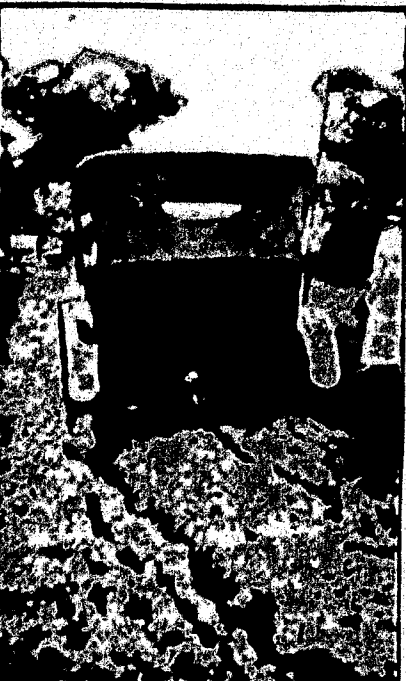


## ROAD BUILDING LARGE TASK

President of National Highways Asso-  
ciation Tells How a Great Sys-  
tem Can Be Built.

Thanks to the pushful, pervasive  
motor car, American road building has  
"got a move on" at last. There is ev-  
erywhere the cry for roads. The draw-  
back has been that, as yet, there has  
been no co-ordination of these multi-  
tudinous enterprises. The president  
of the National Highways association,  
Charles Henry Davis, in a recent paper  
stated that we spent last year \$249,-  
855,967, or more than two-thirds the  
total of money expended so far on the  
construction of the Panama canal—  
for road improvements throughout the  
country. Mr. Davis' contention is that  
good roads, roads that run for thou-  
sands of miles through state after  
state, are, properly, not the responsi-  
bility of the state, but of the nation.  
He would have the federal government  
build a system of national roads join-  
ing the West with the East, the North  
and the South, connecting every part  
of the country, as is the case with the  
national highways of Europe, and, as  
history shows, such as was the essen-  
tial equipment of every first-class  
power of the past, according to the  
Boston Evening Transcript.

How would such an enormous con-  
struction be paid for and kept up?  
"Suppose," asks this eminent engi-  
neer, "the government built 100,000  
miles of properly planned roads, and  
at the same time purchased, say, 800



Good Road Needed.

feet of land on either side? This land  
would so continually increase in value  
and in demand for leasing on long  
rental, that the cost of the road and  
the land purchase would soon be paid.  
A rental rate of \$4.00 per acre would  
pay the interest on the cost of con-  
struction. But such would rent at vast-  
ly higher rates in cities and towns,  
high enough to give the nation an in-  
come equal to its total annual expendi-  
tures, from these national highways  
alone!"

## GOOD HIGHWAYS IN ONTARIO

Approximately 25,000 Miles of Road  
in Province—23,000 Miles in  
Fairly Good Condition.

The province of Ontario has ap-  
proximately 25,000 miles of road.  
More than 23,000 miles have been  
treated and are in fairly good con-  
dition. About 20,000 miles are well-  
graded earth roads; about 3,000 miles  
are surfaced with broken stone and  
about 18,000 are surfaced with gravel.  
In the city of Toronto there is one  
motorcar to every twenty-five inhab-  
itants.

## INCREASED VALUE OF FARMS

Influence of Road Improvement on Ru-  
ral Property is Described by Bal-  
timore Financier.

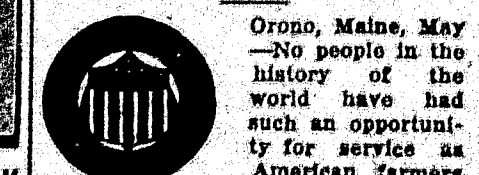
The influence of road improvements  
on the value of rural property was de-  
scribed in a letter recently sent to the  
Manufacturers' Record by the president  
of the Baltimore Commercial bank,  
who wrote: "Around my home town in  
Virginia property could be bought  
three years ago for \$200 to \$300 an acre.  
We put a fine road several miles  
through that county, and today you  
cannot buy anything for less than \$100,  
and some is held at \$150 per acre."

**Net-Work of Good Roads.**  
This whole country will some of  
these days be a network of good  
roads, which will have a place on the  
map along with the railroads. The  
Lincoln highway linking the East and  
the West, the Jefferson highway, link-  
ing the lakes and the gulf, and the  
Ohio Overland Highway, are a begin-  
ning.

**Georgia's Good Roads.**  
Between the years 1909 and 1914,  
Georgia surfaced 8,264 miles of state  
roads.

## FARMERS HAVE WONDERFUL OPPORTUNITY FOR SERVICE

Maine Farmers Called Upon to Culti-  
vate Large Acreage Food Crops—  
Food Administration Urges Reduc-  
tion Meat Consumption.



Orono, Maine, May  
—No people in the  
history of the  
world have had  
such an opportu-  
nity for service as  
American farmers  
have today. Al-  
most half the people in the world are  
hungry. The allies are dying and  
suffering because of the lack of food.  
Women as lovable and good as our  
mothers are, are starving; children as  
sweet and pure as our own children,  
are dropping by the wayside because  
of lack of food; strong men are fall-  
ing out of the struggle for existence  
because they have not food.

America is the greatest food pro-  
ducing nation on earth. Because of  
shipping difficulties arising from the  
destruction of tonnage by sub-  
marines, the allies and the neutral  
countries of Europe are depending  
on us to supply them with all food  
stuffs required above their own  
limited production.

Every farmer in Maine and in  
America is called upon to cultivate  
the largest acreage in food crops he  
possibly can. He is called upon to  
increase his production per acre to  
the utmost point.

Produce and save everything!  
Waste nothing! The food or food  
product that is wasted in Maine de-  
prives a soldier or woman or child in  
Europe. Every pound saved or pro-  
duced helps to sustain a soldier in the  
field or to prevent a woman or child  
in Europe perishing from starvation.

## GERMAN PRISONERS.

The treatment of interned Germans  
in the United States is now being  
used by German propagandists in an  
effort to create unrest among the  
American people. The Food Adminis-  
tration, however, officially denies  
rumors that German prisoners are  
being provided with bread, pastries  
and cakes made entirely of  
wheat. The Germans interned in  
American detention camps while  
well fed, are being made to observe  
all rules and regulations of the Food  
Administration.

The military prisoners—prisoners  
of war—receive the regular garrison  
ration of the United States Army.  
This is according to the Hague Con-  
vention.

## MEAT CONSUMPTION.

The United States Food Adminis-  
tration is extremely desirous of se-  
curing voluntary reduction in the  
consumption of meat to provide  
sufficient supplies for the army and  
allies and thus avoid reintroduction  
of the meatless days.

There is now a seasonal shortage  
of meat and the shipment of live  
stock to the market will steadily de-  
cline for the next few months, mak-  
ing it imperative that conservation  
measures be taken if the needs of  
the army and the allies are to be  
met.

The necessities for shipment abroad  
to our army and our allies are very  
large and amount to roughly 75,000-  
800 pounds of meat and meat prod-  
ucts of all kinds per week against  
pre-war normal of less than 15,000-  
20,000 pounds.

## NEIGHBORHOOD CLUBS.

In many cities and towns in the  
State of Maine there are neighbor-  
hood or community clubs which in-  
clude the churches and other organi-  
zations, temperance or fraternal  
meetings regularly and considering all  
sorts of matters touching the neigh-  
borhood welfare. These clubs have  
been giving a good deal of attention  
to food conservation, as their pro-  
grams show. The result has been  
helpful, and it is noteworthy that  
where these neighborhood clubs have  
taken an active interest in food and  
other patriotic questions, there the  
pastors of the churches have paid at-  
tention to the matter from the pulpit.  
The neighborhood club speaks well  
for the enterprise and the spirit of  
the neighborhood. One of these clubs  
that has had a war kitchen, reports  
an awakening interest not only in  
regard to food conservation but in  
everything connected with the vigor-  
ous prosecution of the war.

## ASK COOPERATION.

In observing wheatless programs,  
on the tables of some of the hotels  
will soon appear an appeal for co-  
operation. Over 50 hotel men in  
Maine have pledged to abstain from  
the serving of wheat until the next  
harvest and they are urging the sup-  
port of their patrons with the follow-  
ing card:

**"WE ARE NOT SLACKERS!"**  
The hotels, at the request of the  
United States Food Administration,  
are pledged to discontinue the use of  
wheat and wheat products until Sep-  
tember 1st.

**"YOU ARE NO SLACKER"**  
and can assist us greatly by cheerfully  
accepting the bread and other  
substitutes that we may offer. This  
decision causes the bakers of the  
country to master an art foreign to  
their training, and it will be some  
time before we can expect them to  
reach the point of perfection.  
Yours respectfully,  
"THE MANAGEMENT."



# SECOND WAR FUND WEEK

*The Red Cross Must Raise One Hundred Million  
Dollars Between*

*MAY 20th and 27th*



# YOU

*Have you given all that you can, and did it hurt?*

*Do you feel that the amount is worthy of you?*

**Will you be able to look the soldier boys in the eyes  
and tell them that you did what you could to make life  
easier for those who are suffering "over there."**

**For you to give \$5 when you can give \$25—for you to give  
\$25 when you can give \$100, or to give \$100 when you can give  
\$500—is to dodge the heaviest obligation that this war has laid up-  
on you.**

**No man can tell you how much you ought to give. Except  
this: that "Over There" the need is so great that only by cutting to  
the quick, only by giving all that you think you can give and then  
more--only by giving not a little of your excess but much of it--only  
by taking from your own children and from your own wife and from  
yourself, can the needs of the men who are fighting for you and the  
needs of the children of the men who died for you be met.**

**Ask your own soul how much it should be!**

**Every cent of every dollar received for the Red Cross War Fund goes for War Relief.**

The American Red Cross is the largest and most efficient organization for the relief of suffering that the World has ever seen.

It is made up almost entirely of volunteer workers, the higher executives being without exception men accustomed to large affairs, who are in almost all cases giving their services without pay.

It is supported entirely by its membership fees and by voluntary contributions.

It is today bringing relief to suffering humanity, both military and civil, in every War torn allied country.

It plans tomorrow to help in the work of restoration throughout the world.

It feeds and clothes entire populations in times of great calamity.

It is there to help your soldier boy in his time of need.

With its thousands of workers, its tremendous stores and smooth running transportation facilities, it is serving as America's advance guard--and thus helping to win the war.

Congress authorizes it.

President Wilson heads it.

The War Department audits its accounts.

Your Army, your Navy and your Allies enthusiastically endorse it.

Twenty-two million Americans have joined it.



## THE NATIONAL CAPITAL

## Events of Interest From Washington

By J. E. Jones

## DON'T QUIT YOUR FUN

The joys of life are harkening in of. And the highest officials in Washington are preaching and practicing the normal social life for everybody during wartime. Raymond B. Fosdick, chairman of the Commission on Training Camp Activities, emphatically disclaims statements credited to him to the effect that there has been too much entertaining of soldiers. "The preservation of normal social relations between the people and the men in training is an essential part of our military program," says Mr. Fosdick.

"In fact, with hundreds of thousands of men pouring into the training camps, the Government desires more than ever that the people of America continue to offer to them the wholesome influences of their homes," he continues. There should be no misapprehension over the officials that have come from Mr. Fosdick regarding forms of entertainment that have no place in present conditions. He says: "Naturally in the entertainment of thousands of men in private homes there have been some instances of hospitality overdone or taken advantage of. Some women, unwise, have flooded soldiers with sweets and unnecessary 'comforts' and have written ten dollar letters to their boys. These things and the 'goldmother' idea are justifiably discouraged. But a sharp distinction should be drawn between pink-toned sentimentality toward the soldier and the organized hospitality which is supervised by the Government."

"To eradicate vice not only by repression, but by the substitution of attractive and healthful diversions is the great purpose of the commission. Man power will win the war, and we depend upon the American home in conserving this power. As President Wilson has said: 'the spirit with which our soldiers leave America, and their efficiency on the battle fronts of Europe will be vitally affected by the character of the environment surrounding our military training camps.'"

President Wilson spends about half his evenings at amusement houses in Washington. He is a consistent golf player, and when the circus came to town a few days ago he was there as usual. That's the way he keeps young at sixty, and stands up under his heavy responsibilities. The young men who are fighting the battles of their country are also keeping young in its pleasures, and returning officers tell how people still "dress for dinner" right up to the "back door of the living line."

## A SCANDAL SIGHTED

There are lots of versions regarding the aircraft construction, and a scandal has been hinted at. Investigations have been instituted, and the American people are promised all the facts, even though those facts might disclose an absolute case in aircraft construction. A lot of people have been eager to grab at the prospect of a scandal, but they have been warned not to be too hasty in forming conclusions. The aircraft board has spent \$25,000,000 and there is a feeling that there has been an absence of accomplishments. It is clear that a great lot of construction is under way. The organization of men for the service has shown real results, as there are many thousands of men who have qualified as military aviators.

As the matter continues to be aired in public print it is well for the people of the country to bear steadily in mind that inefficiency and mistakes are natural to great enterprises; and that there is an attempt at Washington to shield anyone who is guilty or not of having the goods. As a matter of fact, in the national government will straighten out anything that is wrong with the aviation program; and patients will be rewarded by great fleets of aircraft soon flying over the German, dropping bombs on their beastly spots, and on their war-making bases and centers.

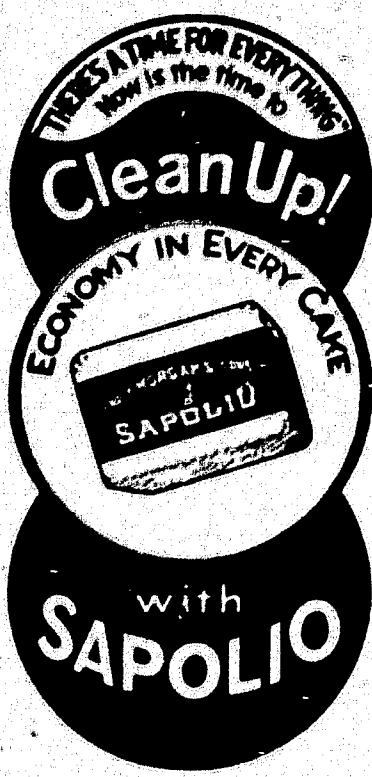
## AIRSHIPS AND BALT SEA SHIPS

There isn't a day passes but what Washington has a sight of aircraft flying over the city. The "aces" of France, Italy and England have added to the glory of the flight. Daring deeds of the air have not so many figures in the transparent blue that they have ceased to be subjects of wonder. Washington turns the aircraft agitation with a good deal of complacency, because there is confidence that "all is well that ends well," and that in the end the Administration will "let the figures" the new response for its decisions in construction, and replace them with men who will show substantial results.

A few weeks ago the air was full of confusion because there were no ships coming out of the shipyards. The agitation has been dying down, so it is apparent that the results are being obtained in the branch of the war program.

The building of the steel cutter Tachibana was a matter of achievement.

The ship was launched a few days ago at Camden, New Jersey, exactly twenty-seven days after the first work



## NORTH NEWRY

Miss Florence Ellis has come to stay for three months and will hold services in the church Sunday mornings at 10:45. Mrs. Fred Wight entertained the Ladies Circle Saturday afternoon.

George Wight and wife were recent guests at W. B. Wight's. Ben Brown and party from Lovell were in town Sunday. A. C. Littlehale and wife with their two granddaughters visited at Fred Wight's Saturday and Sunday.

True Eames and family from Bethel spent Sunday at S. A. Eames. Perley Flat went to Magalloway Monday where he has parties to guide.

was commenced on R. The boat is 329 feet long, 50 feet beam, and has a speed of ten and a half knots an hour. Its tonnage is 5,750 tons. When launched the ship had its boilers in place, engines installed, masts stepped, funnel in place, propeller fitted and under way. Two weeks after the launching the ship is to go into service.

Chairman Harley of the Shipping Board is delivering the goods!

## AN ACCOUNT OF BETHELDOM

Among the things that are not being overlooked on Capitol Hill, are the "reforms" of Senators and Representatives to the constituencies for even though there is a war in Europe there is an election in the United States. Senator Sterling, who has faithfully and ably represented the State of South Dakota, has issued an interesting review of the big events of the past five years, "five years crowded with important and far-reaching Federal legislation, beginning with the tariff act of 1913, the Federal Trade Commission act, the Clayton antitrust act, the Panama Canal free trade act, rural credit and farm loan law, good roads law, and lastly all the great war legislation in the midst of which came prohibition, woman suffrage, and the overhauling of established systems of business and commerce."

Hardly the acid test has been applied to men who have stood for the legislative and administrative formation of policies during the five years, and it is really unfortunate that it is impossible for the human mind to grasp the enormous questions that have entered into the make-up of records of our statesmen. Nevertheless, it is likely that the voters will be given a lot of first-hand information within the next few months, so that they will be able to answer correctly in most cases, as to whether the "account of stewardship" is satisfactory.

## UNCLE JOE AT 82

A few years ago there was a good deal of division in Congress over "Speaker Cannon," but it is all different now, with "Uncle Joe," still in the harness at 82. Mr. Cannon was given a real ovation on his birthday a few days ago, and in responding he told the members of the House that "long service here brings one consolation; as I have seen the great wheel going from one side of the chamber to the other," he went on, "I have become more and more convinced that patriotism is confined to no party, and that, while this is a great government through party, and always will be, all parties work for the best government of the country according to their ideas."

## NOTICE

The subscriber heretofore gives notice that she has been duly appointed administratrix of the estate of Elizabeth A. Hastings late of Bethel in the County of Oxford, deceased. All persons having demands against the estate of said deceased are desired to present the same for settlement, and all indebted thereto are requested to make payment immediately.

FANNIE C. HASTINGS.

Bethel, Maine, May 18, 1918. 5031.

## Stake Into Your Shoes

Allen's Foot Ease, the antiseptic powder for painful, swollen, tender, smarting feet. It takes the sting out of corns and bunions. Used by the American, French and British troops because it takes the friction from the shoe and freshens the feet. Adv.

## OXFORD COUNTY'S CURRENT DRAFT LIST

## Men Who Will Leave Next Week For Camp Devens

The following is the list of men summoned by the Local Board for Oxford County, to report at South Paris on Tuesday, May 28, and entrain on Wednesday, the 29th, for Camp Devens, Ayer Mass. The quota of Oxford County under this call is 137. Eight alternates are summoned, making the total 145:

## Order No.

270 Joseph M. Deegan, Bethel, R. F. D. 3.

648 John James McNell, Mexico.

685 Ray Emery McAllister, Kezar Falls.

699 Frank O'Neill Robertson, Bethel.

630 John Alex Lazarus, Rumford.

684 Chester Reuben Chapman, North Newry.

648 Alonzo Woodman Hall, Fryeburg.

650 Leander Stone Billings, Waterford.

650 Carroll Cash, Rumford.

682 Paul Yentz, Rumford.

698 Fred Almore Pearson, Buckfield.

677 Antonio Mundi, Rumford.

677 Lewis Augustus Martin, West Minot.

678 Frank W. Theroux, Rumford.

685 Perley Forest Garry, East Brownfield.

680 Clifford P. Adams, Lovell.

688 William Everett Flagg, Byron.

698 Tony Bogdonas, Rumford.

714 Elbridge Fenimore McDonald, South Paris.

718 Perley Alvin Brown, Dixfield.

724 Giuseppe Citraro, Rumford.

723 Irving Blanchard Kimball, Mexico.

745 Donat Brouillette, Rumford.

746 John Ward Wyman, Andover.

753 Gerald Woodman Jenkins, Oxford.

760 John Angus McKay, Rumford.

782 Ralph Herbert Eastman, Rumford.

793 Jarvis W. Snider, Mexico.

798 Chester Arthur Cummings, Bethel.

799 Harry Mason Swan, West Paris.

804 Antonio Chidoni, Rumford.

811 Stanislaw Skrypyka, Bethel.

821 Perley Leon Walker, East Brownfield.

828 Edward H. Rancey, Rumford.

847 William Ferdinand McKay, Norway.

849 Dana Leroy Richmond, Mexico.

853 Ralph C. Ryerson, South Paris.

855 William Abraham Nalley, Oxford.

857 Clyde Wallace Abbott, North Rumford.

860 Walter Chester Merrill, Bethel.

872 Arthur Henry Wakefield, Brownfield.

872 Francis Doucette, Rumford.

873 Perry Wendell Brooks, Upton.

883 Valentini Perini, Rumford.

883 Charles Babyonca, Rumford.

913 Lester Earl Lane, Upton.

918 Elmer Hannaford, Mexico.

920 Peter McLeod, Rumford.

926 Aleksandra Sabolewsky, Rumford.

934 Alfred Maddir, Bethel.

948 Edwin G. Austin, Norway, R. F. D. 2.

949 Wesley Hugh Leekey, Rumford.

953 Fred Gamache, Rumford.

951A William Gamache, Rumford.

954 Francis E. Tibbette, Rumford.

954 Alvin Cota, South Paris.

960 Josiah Moody Estes, West Sumner.

965 Romeo Di Fiori, Rumford.

967 Antonio C. Calantoni, Mexico.

971 Earl R. Fox, Lovell.

984 Harry Maxim Benson, East Sumner.

993 Albin Richard, Rumford.

1002 Raymond Estes Brooks, Norway.

1005 Dominick Cerri, Rumford.

1009 Salvatore Ziechins, Rumford.

1022 George Henry Smith, Oxford.

1024 Horace Barleigh Crockett, Sumner.

1026 Willis Patrick Robbitt, Rumford.

1032 Silas Ephraim Keniston, Bethel, R. F. D. 2.

1035 Ben Franklin Hooper, Norway.

1037 Tim W. Garvin, Rumford.

1040 Charles P. Downs, Rumford, R. F. D. 1.

1054 Alton L. Douglass, East Hiram.

1058 John Roscoe Crocker, Norway.

1059 Lester Ray Hannaford, Roxbury.

1061 Everett Carlisle Neal, Bethel.

1062 Augustus Barnes Ward, Brownfield.

1063 Henry York, Newsway.

1065 Carroll Quincy Herrick, Norway.

1072 Alfred W. Benton, Lovell.

1074 Arthur T. Abbott, Rumford.

1078 Vincenza Bianco, Rumford.

1093 Philip Davidson, South Windham.

1095 Percy Y. Fogg, Norway.

1116 Albert Russell Hobbes, Oxford.

1111 David Arthur Harrison, Norway.

1112 Orlan T. Patterson, Rumford.

1114 Elmer D. Anderson, Oxford.

1117 Ernest Vallee, Rumford.

1124 Anna Danforth, Rumford.

1135 Edward Babineau, Newsway.

1138 Jerome Drouin, Rumford.

1139 Antonio Elmer Ferrash, Rumford.

1154 Herbert A. Rich, Norway.

1157 Chester E. Cummings, Locke's Mills.

1159 Austin Bulger, Rumford.

1171 William J. McNell, Mexico.

1175 John Shepherd Brophy, Waterford.

1176 Alyre LeBlanc, Rumford.

1183 John George Liddle, Rumford.

1191 James Bernard Lynch, Rumford.

1195 Russell Enman, South Rumford.

1197 Alfred Joseph Blanchard, Andover.

1200 David Alfred Ollnes, North Rumford.

1203 Leon Bogiolo, Houghton.

1215 Robert Winter Poor, Canton.

1216 Richard Frank Winn, Rumford.

1218 Lary Winslow Juddins, Dixfield.

1223 Felix Gaudish, Rumford.

1225 Carl M. Andrews, Rumford.

1233 Percy L. Davis, Rumford.

1236 Placide Richard, Rumford.

1240 Dana Grover Brooks, Bethel.

1244 Vito Parise, Rumford.

1267 George J. Levasseur, Rumford.

1274 Almon Everett Perry, Mexico.

1276 Arthur Martin, Rumford.

1279 George Mills, Bethel.

1284 Wilfred J. Kilgore, Newry.

1296 Harry Franklin Hart, Wilson's Mills.

1298 Levi White, Rumford.

1301 Alvin Edmund Chapman, North Bethel.

1308 Clayton E. Tower, Harrison, R. F. D. 2.

1312 Linwood M. Corbett, South Paris.

1319 Preston Robert Bidlon, Fryeburg.

1321 John Wilson, South Paris.

1323 Roscoe Hazen Butler, South Paris.

1324 Clifford Edwards, Mexico.

1330 Clarence Haskell Bailey, Andover.

1331 Wallace Alton Clifford, South Paris.

1333 Bruno Sammarco, Rumford.

1336 Benjamin Bird Twitchell, South Paris.

1338 John M. Pike, Waterford.

1356 Sidney Arthur Hazelton, Rumford.

1357 Roy Lohnes, Andover.

1361 Bernard J. Doyle, Rumford.

1363 Guy Bernard Leroy Andrews, Canton Point.

1380 Merion R. Holt, Livermore Falls.

1387 Maynard Maxim Harlow, Mexico.

1391 Jesse Laurence Keniston, Denmark.

1393 Adelbert Thomas Frederick, Rumford.

1401 Orlando Parker Russell, Hannover.

1403 Edward E. Shaw, South Paris.

1415 Elmer A. Grant, Roxbury.

1416 John O. Pearson, Mexico.

## SUNDAY RIVER

C. B. Foster and family are at the

Foster home for a short stay prior

to the long vacation usually spent there.

Ella Kendall of Belmont, Mass., will

spend her vacation with her parents,

Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Kendall.

Anson Kendall has a five passenger

Ford.

Mr. Harry Tolman has moved his

family to Danville Junction, where he

has purchased a small farm.

Mrs. Lucetta Bartlett and grand

daughter, Mrs. Homer Smith, are visit-

ing Mr. and Mrs. Fred Eames at Rum-

ford Corner.

Robt Enman is to move his family

from Lewis Enman's home to the Chap-

man house near the Bethel line.

Olga Swan and her aunt, Mrs. A. E.

K. Grover, were here Sunday. They vis-

ited "Valley Road" cemetery, near

Arista's bridge and were also guests

of Mrs. Grover's brother, H. M. Ken-

dall, and family.

Mrs. Albert Baker is entertaining

friends from away.

Una Brooks was a guest of Ruth Ken-

dall at the home of her parents, Mr.

and Mrs. H. M. Kendall, over Sunday.

Anson Kendall recently returned from

a visit with relatives in Massachusetts.

One is fully justified in speaking of

the beautiful outlines and fresh loveliness

of the verdure of the mountains and

hills at this time and fully proves that

"Things seem to die; yet die not—"

The spring flowers die on the bosom of

the Mother Earth,

Yet rise again in fruits, and leaves,

and flowers,

And every death is nothing but a

birth."

## ADDITIONAL LOCALS

Miss Marie Pease, who has been visit-

ing friends in Boston and New York,

returned home, Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Williamson of

Sunday River were guests of Mrs. Wil-

liamson's sister, Mrs. Lizzie Thurston,

several days last week.

The address by Dr. Albin before the

Men's Club last Wednesday evening was

one of the best that has been heard in

Bethel for some time. With the subject,

"The Dangers of Democracy", he con-

veyed to us some very forcible truths.

## When Your Child Cries

at night and leaves restlessly, you feel

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